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DOUBLE-DECKER LUXURY BUSES TO REDUCE TRAFFIC CONGESTION

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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has identified 75 routes in various States including Delhi-Agra, Lucknow Gorakhpur, Vadodara-Mumbai and Bangalore-Mangalore to operate double decker luxury buses to reduce traffic congestion,

(b) if so, the names of such routes identified/selected by the Government to operate double decker luxury buses, State-wise; and

(c) the methods adopted to identify traffic congestion on theses routes?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
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(a) Ministry of Road Transport and Highways has instituted a study under World Bank Technical Assistance (WBTA-27) for passenger mobility enhancement. The study has identified 75 routes in various States/STUs.

(b) List of 75 routes is enclosed at annexure 'A'.

(c) The study assessed all India traffic survey data and toll data covering major corridors in the country to identify these routes with low passenger share of buses and high overall passenger car unit(PCU) count with a greater share of private vehicles as compared to buses.

Annexure-A: List of 75 Routes

S#	Routes	Origin	Origin State	Destination	Destination State
1	Delhi - Shimla	Delhi	Delhi	Shimla	Himachal Pradesh
2	Shillong - Guwahati	Shillong	Meghalaya	Guwahati	Assam
3	Gwalior-Bhopal	Gwalior	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh
4	Bhopal-Dewas-Indore	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh	Indore	Madhya Pradesh
5	Indore-Dhule-Nasik	Indore	Madhya Pradesh	Nasik	Maharashtra
6	Amritsar-Bikaner	Amritsar	Punjab	Bikaner	Rajasthan
7	Jodhpur-Jamnagar	Jodhpur	Rajasthan	Jamnagar	Gujarat
8	Bangalore-Nilgiris	Bangalore	Karnataka	Nilgiris	Tamil Nadu
9	Bangalore-Tirupati	Bangalore	Karnataka	Tirupati	Andhra Pradesh
10	Bangalore-Mangalore	Bangalore	Karnataka	Mangalore	Karnataka
11	Patiala-Bhatinda	Patiala	Punjab	Bhatinda	Punjab
12	Chennai-Kurnool	Chennai	Tamil Nadu	Kurnool	Andhra Pradesh
13	Chennai-Tiruchirappalli	Chennai	Tamil Nadu	Tiruchirappalli	Tamil Nadu
14	Coimbatore-Tanjore	Coimbatore	Tamil Nadu	Tanjore	Tamil Nadu
15	Delhi-Agra-Lucknow	Delhi	Delhi	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh
16	Dhule-Aurangabad	Dhule	Maharashtra	Aurangabad	Maharashtra
17	Rajkot-Udaipur	Rajkot	Gujarat	Udaipur	Rajasthan
18	Udaipur-Kota	Udaipur	Rajasthan	Kota	Rajasthan
19	Jhansi-Kanpur-Lucknow	Jhansi	Madhya Pradesh	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh
20	Lucknow-Gorakhpur	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh	Gorakhpur	Uttar Pradesh
21	Gorakhpur-Muzaffarpur	Gorakhpur	Uttar Pradesh	Muzaffarpur	Bihar
22	Patna - Muzaffarpur-Siliguri	Patna	Bihar	Siliguri	West Bengal
23	Siliguri-Guwahati	Siliguri	West Bengal	Guwahati	Assam
24	Aligarh-Kanpur	Aligarh	Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur	Uttar Pradesh
25	Nellore-Guntur-Vijayawada	Nellore	Telangana	Vijayawada	Andhra Pradesh
26	Vijayawada-Visakhapatnam	Vijayawada	Andhra Pradesh	Visakhapatnam	Andhra Pradesh
27	Visakhapatnam-Bhubaneshwar	Visakhapatnam	Andhra Pradesh	Bhubaneshwar	Orissa
28	Cuttack-Kolkata	Cuttack	Orissa	Kolkata	West Bengal

29	Delhi-Jaipur	Delhi	Delhi	Jaipur	Rajasthan
30	Jaipur-Bhilwara	Jaipur	Rajasthan	Bhilwara	Rajasthan
31	Bhilwara-Udaipur	Bhilwara	Rajasthan	Udaipur	Rajasthan
32	Udaipur-Ahmedabad	Udaipur	Rajasthan	Ahmedabad	Gujarat
33	Vadodara-Surat-Mumbai	Vadodara	Gujarat	Mumbai	Maharashtra
34	Kolkata-Durgapur	Kolkata	West Bengal	Durgapur	West Bengal
35	Dhanbad-Varanasi	Dhanbad	Jharkhand	Varanasi	Uttar Pradesh
36	Allahabad-Kanpur	Allahabad	Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur	Uttar Pradesh
37	Kanpur-Mathura	Kanpur	Uttar Pradesh	Mathura	Uttar Pradesh
38	Pune-Kolapur	Pune	Maharashtra	Kolapur	Maharashtra
39	Hubli-Davanagere-Bangalore	Hubli	Karnataka	Bangalore	Karnataka
40	Bangalore-Chennai	Krishnagiri	Karnataka	Chennai	Tamil Nadu
41	Hyderabad-Belgaum	Hyderabad	Telangana	Belgaum	Karnataka
42	Jaipur-Agra	Jaipur	Rajasthan	Agra	Uttar Pradesh
43	Jaipur-Ujjain	Jaipur	Rajasthan	Kota	Rajasthan
44	Ahmedabad-Ujjain	Ahmedabad	Gujarat	Ujjain	Madhya Pradesh
45	Ujjain-Bhopal	Ujjain	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh
46	Lucknow-Allahabad	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh	Allahabad	Uttar Pradesh
47	Chandigarh-Delhi	Chandigarh	Chandigarh (UT)	Delhi	Delhi
48	Madurai-Kollam	Madurai	Tamil Nadu	Kollam	Tamil Nadu
49	Kolapur-Mangalore	Kolapur	Maharashtra	Mangalore	Karnataka
50	Mangalore-Kozhikode	Mangalore	Karnataka	Kozhikode	Kerala
51	Kozhikode-Kochi	Kozhikode	Kerala	Kochi	Kerala
52	Kochi-Kanyakumari	Kochi	Kerala	Kanyakumari	Tamil Nadu
53	Nagpur - Raipur	Nagpur	Madhya Pradesh	Raipur	Chhatisgarh
54	Raipur-Bhubaneswar	Raipur	Chhatisgarh	Bhubaneshwar	Orissa
55	Nashik-Pune	Nashik	Maharashtra	Pune	Maharashtra
56	Srinagar-Jalandhar	Srinagar	Jammu & Kashmir	Jalandhar	Punjab
57	Ludhiana-Kurukshetra	Ludhiana	Punjab	Kurukshetra	Haryana
58	Gwalior-Jhansi-Sagar	Gwalior	Madhya Pradesh	Sagar	Madhya Pradesh
59	Jabalpur-Nagpur	Jabalpur	Madhya Pradesh	Nagpur	Maharashtra
60	Nagpur-Hyderabad	Nagpur	Maharashtra	Hyderabad	Telangana

61	Hyderabad-Bangalore	Hyderabad	Telangana	Bangalore	Karnataka
62	Salem-Madurai	Salem	Tamil Nadu	Madurai	Tamil Nadu
63	Madurai-Tirunelveli	Madurai	Tamil Nadu	Tirunelveli	Tamil Nadu
64	Pune-Solapur	Pune	Maharashtra	Solapur	Maharashtra
65	Solapur-Hyderabad	Solapur	Maharashtra	Hyderabad	Telangana
66	Hyderabad-Vijayawada	Hyderabad	Telangana	Vijayawada	Andhra Pradesh
67	Raipur-Vishakhapatnam	Raipur	Chhatisgarh	Vishakhapatnam	Andhra Pradesh
68	Gwalior-Bhopal	Gwalior	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	Uttar Pradesh
69	Sagar-Varanasi	Sagar	Madhya Pradesh	Varanasi	Uttar Pradesh
70	Salem-Coimbatore	Salem	Tamil Nadu	Coimbatore	Tamil Nadu
71	Hissar-Delhi	Hissar	Haryana	Delhi	Delhi
72	Solapur-Bellari	Solapur	Maharashtra	Bellari	Karnataka
73	Solapur-Aurangabad	Solapur	Maharashtra	Aurangabad	Maharashtra
74	Surat-Dhule	Surat	Gujarat	Dhule	Maharashtra
75	Udaipur-Ajmer	Udaipur	Rajasthan	Ajmer	Rajasthan

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